

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 4092

OFFERED BY MR. HOLT, SOLIS

At the end of title I, add the following:

1 **SEC. 106. LONGITUDINAL STUDY OF TANF APPLICANTS AND**
2 **RECIPIENTS TO DETERMINE THE FACTORS THAT**
3 **CONTRIBUTE TO THE ABILITY OF PEOPLE TO**
4 **COMPLY WITH TANF WORK REQUIREMENTS.**

5 Section 413 of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 613) is amended by
6 inserting the following:

7 “(d) LONGITUDINAL STUDY OF TANF APPLICANTS AND
8 RECIPIENTS TO DETERMINE THE FACTORS THAT CONTRIBUTE TO
9 THE ABILITY OF PEOPLE TO COMPLY WITH TANF WORK
10 REQUIREMENTS.—

11 “(1) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary, through grant or contract, shall
12 conduct a longitudinal study of a representative sample of families that receive,
13 and families that apply for, assistance from a State program funded under this part
14 or under a program funded with qualified State expenditures (as defined in section
15 409(a)(7)(B)(i)).

16 “(2) REQUIREMENTS.—The study conducted under this subsection
17 shall follow families that leave such a program, those that receive assistance
18 throughout the study period, and those diverted from such a program. The studies
19 shall gather information on—

20 “(A) family and adult demographics;

- 1 “(B) family income and receipt of child support; and
- 2 “(C) factors that contribute to the ability of people to comply with
- 3 work requirements and achieve long-term self-sufficiency.”.

Amend the table of contents accordingly.

